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Dear Sir/Madam:

In response to the Office Action dated October 14, 2010, enclosed herewith a three month Extension of Time, Applicant respectfully requests that the above-identified patent application be reconsidered in view of the remarks which follow, that each of the presently pending claims be allowed, and that the application be passed to issue.

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.